IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE Attv Dkt. 36-1441 In re Patent Application of M# C# 2154 BALE et al Examiner: A. Patel Serial No. 09/830,271 Date: May 26, 2005 Filed: April 25, 2001 Title: MESSAGING PLAT Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir: RESPONSE/AMENDMENT/LETTER This is a response/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes an attachment which is hereby incorporated by reference and the signature below serves as the signature to the attachment in the absence of any other signature thereon. ☐ Correspondence Address Indication Form Attached. Fees are attached as calculated below: minus highest number Total effective claims after amendment 21 50.00 \$50.00 (1202)/\$25.00 (2202) \$ x \$50.00 previously paid for 20 (at least 20) =3 minus highest number Independent claims after amendment x \$200.00 \$0.00 (1201)/\$0.00 (2201) \$ previously paid for (at least 3) =3 If proper multiple dependent claims now added for first time, (ignore improper); add \$360.00 (1051)/\$180.00 (2051) \$ Petition is hereby made to extend the current due date so as to cover the filing date of this One Month Extension \$120.00 (1251)/\$60.00 (2251) paper and attachment(s) Two Month Extensions \$450.00 (1252)/\$225.00 (2252) Three Month Extensions \$1020.00 (1253/\$510.00 (2253) Four Month Extensions \$1590.00 (1254/\$795.00 (2254) \$ 120.00 \$130.00 (1814)/\$65.00 (2814) \$ Terminal disclaimer enclosed, add Applicant claims "small entity" status. Statement filed herewith 790.00 \$790.00 (1801) \$ RCE filing fee \$40.00 (8021) \$ Assignment Recording Fee \$ Other: **TOTAL FEE ENCLOSED \$** 960.00 (SEE SAME FEES LISTED ON RCE) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency, or credit any overpayment, in the fee(s) filed, or asserted to be filed, or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Account No. 14-1140. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached. **NIXON & VANDERHYE P.C.** By Atty: Larry S. Nixon, Reg. No. 25,640 Telephone: (703) 816-4000

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